#### Household Interests

# **SOCIETY**

#### EBUTANTES MAKE THEIR BOW TO RICHMOND SOCIETY

erman Club Gives Brilliant Entertalament in Jefferson Hotel Ballroom.

In a setting of palms, bay trees and pantities of pink flowers, thirteen vely young girls made their bow to ashlonable society last evening at the The function took place in the ballroom of the Jefferson Hotel, and an orchestra played for the dancing. The "first Monday" belong distinctly to the debutantes, and the dance is given over entirely to them, all in-terest being centred in them, their freeks their becauses and their except their bouquets and their escorts he Richmond German Club is the old-st and most exclusive social organizathe city, and the names of the ul women who have come and t their balls have made intersting reading in more than one novel ad story. The entertainments given same customs have been observed t the dances for years past. The resence of a debutante at this first ince marks her formal entrance into ne inner smart set of Richmond, and mere are many heartaches each season mong would-be aspirants, over the ack of invitations to this german.

Colonel Jo Lane Stern lead the ger ones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. ones. Miss Jones wore an imported ress of pink pineapple tissue, em-roldersd in gold tulips, and she carried

Other debutantes noted were Miss arter Ingram, daughter of Mrs. John enry Ingram and the late Judge Inrain, wearing a white satin gown and single red poinsettia, dancing with szewell Carrington. Miss Ellen Wright Wise, daughter

Mrs. Barton Haxall Wise, in a white ace dress of white satin, trimmed in ses, with a bouquet of orchids; dancg with Stuart C. Leake

Miss Alice Burwell Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Reed, in an spalescent dress draped in white satin, surple orchids, with John Cutchins. Miss Ethel Alston Cabell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Alston Cabell, in em-proidered white chiffon, made with a court train of white satin, and a boulet of American Beauty roses, with r. Norton Mason. Miss Roberta Kyle Pleasants, niece of

drs. Reginald Gliham, and Miss Vir-sinia Pleasants, in white charmeuse traped in chiffon, and trimmed in earls and rare old lace. pearls and rare old lace, American Beayty roses, with Carlton McKenny.
Miss Mary Lyon Tyler, daughter of Judge and Mrs. D. G. Tyler, of "Sherwed Forest," in white charmeuse made with an overdress of illusion, and immed with pearls and rhinestones.

Miss Anne Myers, daughter of Mr. Miss Anne Myers, daughter of all then material, 3-4 yard collar, and Mrs. E. T. D. Myers, Jr., in soft and 1-4 yard satin for collar, white satin, embroidered and trimmed Pictorial Review Cape No. 5979 in silver lace, a bouquet of orchids Sizes, 32 to 44-inch bust. Price, 15c. nd lilles of the valley, with William

ongressman and Mrs. Andrew Jack-

guests present last evening. Other out-of-town guests noted were Mr. and Mrs. Heth Lorton, of New York; Captain Beresford, of London, England; Major Kelham, of England; Dr. and Mrs. Allan Talbott, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thomas, of Charleston, W. Va.; Mrs. John D. Hooe, of Warrenton; Mr. and Mrs. Barker Hamill, of Trenton, N. J.; Mrs. Gardiner D. Tyler, of Williamsburg; W. H. Faulkner, of the University of Virginia; Charles Neave, of New York; George W. Stevens, Jr., of Huntington, W. Va., and Dr. Hugh S, Cummings, of Baltimore.

leaving Thursday for Washington, where they will join Congressman Montague for the season. Congressnan Montague and his family have taken an apartment in the Avondon, on I'. Street, for three months, as they will not return to Richmond for some

lime.
Mr. and Mrs. T. Archibald Cary and their daughters, the Misses Cary, have taken the Montague residence, on Grove Avenue, and they expect to move there this week.

Announcement of Interest. Cards have been issued for the marriage of Miss Caroline Minor, daughter of Mrs. Edmund Christian Minor and the late E. C. Minor, to Richard Sterling Ely. The wedding will be celebrated on Wednesday evening, December 30, at 6:30 o'clock in St. Paul's Episcopal Church. The ceremony will be one of the most notable events of the winter season, and a distinguished assembly of guests will throng historic St. Paul's Church for the marriage.

Dr. Leland E. Cofer, of Washington, D. C., has announced the engagement of his daughter, Henrietta Leland Co-Cards have been issued for the mar-

#### Christmas Holiday Fares To Points On, and Reached via, Norfolk and Western Railway.

Tickets to points in Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Alabama and Mississippi, will be sold at special rates on December 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 31, 1914, and January 1, 1915, with final limit for return trip January 6, 1915. Tickets to points in Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas will be sold on December 20, 21 and 22, with final limit January 18, 1915. Fare to Norfolk and return, \$3.45; to Lynchburg and return, \$5.65. For rates to other points apply to C. A. Overton, Jr., City Passenger Agent, 838 East Main Street, or to

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Montague, in a quaint tourqoise fer, to Donald W. Vought, son of Mr. silk, finished with Oriental drapand Mrs. I. S. Vought, of Englewood, American Beauty roses, with N. J. Miss Cofer lives with her aunts. N. J. Miss Cofer lives with her aunts, the Misses Annie Cleveland Cone, daughof Mrs. Archibald Pleasants Cone, white charmeuse, finished with a pery of iridescent crystal beads, ories, with Walter Leake.

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chite net embroidered in pink flowers and made over a white satin foundation, or hids, with Charles G. Harris.

Miss Martha Chambers, daughter of the white charmeuse, draped in embroidered chiffon, orchide and lilles of the valley, with John Cary.

Miss May Mercer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William F. Mercer, in white squin. trimmed in silver spangles, orlings, with Edward C. Harrison, Jr. Tatronesses invited to receive for the club last evening were: Mrs. Thomas Finckney Brysan, Mrs. Julien H. Hills and afternon tea in honor of Miss Nancy Outten Foreman, on which or casion Miss Foreman's engegement to John Gilliam Munce, of Richmond, was announced. The rooms were decorated to be considered to be considered to the constant of the constant of the constant of the constant of the fourth Tues-day, and day, the regular meeting day. All end day, the regular meeting day. All end day, the regular meeting day, and all other swill be guests of honor at a card party and a their residence, \$21 West Graes Street.

Announcement Function.

An interesting affair of Saturday in Norfolk was given when Mrs. Walter H. Whichard entertained at her aparty and afternon tea in honor of Miss Nancy Outten Foreman, on which or casion Miss Foreman's engegement to John Gilliam Munce, of Richmond, was announced. The rooms were decorated to be day, the regular meeting day. All end day, the regular meeting day. McAdams, Mrs. John Skelton Williams, Mrs. William H. Palmer, Jr., Mrs. John Stewart Bryan, Mrs. Garrett Buckner Wall, Mrs. Henry Carter Stuart, Mrs. David Harris Leake, Mrs. John Kerr Branch, Mrs. John T. Anderson, Mrs. George Cole Scott, Mrs. Barton Haxall Wise, Mrs. E. Randolph Williams and Mrs. C. Cotesworth Pinckney.

A buffet supper was served at 11 celock, and decorations in the diningroom were also in pink roses. Miss Amy Johnson, dancing with John Walker, was among the out-of-town guests present last evening.

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tea were Mrs. George Symn, of Raleigh, N. C.; Mrs. T. A. Bain, Jr., Mrs.
Kemp Savage, Mrs. John H. Wales,
Jr., Mrs. C. B. Gifford, Mrs. C. B. Taylor, Mrs. R. L. Payne, Jr., Mrs. Pickney Payne, Mrs. J. E. Booth, Miss
Frances Meyer, Miss Bell Irvine, and
Miss Bessie Payne. Mrs. Booth poured
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Leaving for Washington.

Mrs. Andrew Jackson Montague and her daughters, Misses Gay and Janet Montague, have leased their home, 1111 Grove Avenue, for the winter and are leaving Thursday for Washington.

Many of the entertainments during the week just past in Danville have been in honor of Miss Grace Stuart Jones, daughter of Mrs. E. J. Jones, who is to be married this week. John E Overbey entertained at bridge whist on Friday afternoon at his residence in compliment to Miss Jones. Among those present beside the guest of honor were Misses Araminta Holcombe, Mary Boisseau, Madge Vass, Gladys Lea, Le-The talk of the town-HOLSUM Pan Biscuits.



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At the Art Club.

The Art Club of Richmond will have S. W. Meek to talk before members and their guests this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Mr. Meek's subject will be "Some Phases of the European War."

Tea will be served at the conclusion of the lecture.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Dr. and Mrs. Dame, of Baltimore, are guests of their son-in-law and daugh-ter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miles, at 815 West Franklin Street. Mrs. T. Kirk Parrish, of 924 West Franklin Street, is spending a few weeks in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer Hobson, who have been making their home in New England, are expected in Richmond for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. John T. Anderson has returned to Richmond, after a visit to New York

Westmoreland Davis, of Leesburg, is spending some time with friends in this city. Mrs. Adolph Osterloh and Mrs. Doug-as Vandez Hoof have returned from

Baltimore. Miss Nannie Vaden has returned to her home, after visiting the Misses Cardwell in Ashland.

Miss Mabel Walker left St. Luke's Hospital yesterday, where she has been for two weeks, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles V. Carrington, at 932 Park Avenue.

Mrs. Clifford Miller has returned to "Beauregarde," after a visit to Mrs. William Greanor Neal on West Grace

Miss Eliabeth Baldwin, of this city is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Luther Sheldon, at Virginia Beach.

Miss Effic G. Jackson, of Twesty-ninth Street, Woodland Heights, is at the Memorial Hospital, where she was operated upon on Thursday. Miss Mary Massie has returned to the University of Virginia, after spending several weeks here.

#### WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

The Parent Teacher Association of the William Fox School will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school auditorium, instead of the fourth Tues-

ing at 12 o'clock. All members are requested to be present, as this is a most important meeting, election of officers being in order at this time.

#### "VISIONS" IS TOPIC OF MRS. ROBINS AT WOMAN'S CLUB

speaker Praises High Ideals of Well-Known Richmond Women, Who Have Accomplished Much. "Visions" was the subject of an in-

teresting and very human paper read by Mrs. Sally Nelson Robins yesterday afternoon before the Woman's Club. Mrs. William G. Stanard presented Mrs. Robins to her audience as "a woman who does things." Mrs. Robins has already made a name for herself as an



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author and writer, and is ranked among the most gifted women among the membership of the club. Her discourse yesterday was replete with the charm and intellect of the woman who

come to bring to her hearers an ancient tale of forgotten lore, nor yet the his-tory of the men and women who from the beginning had dreamed dreams and Day, E. Howe Miller and Ross Watson.

Mrs. A. D. Starling entertained on Saturday afternoon at her residence in honor of Miss Jones. The guests embroidered initials on tea napkins, which were later presented to Miss Jones. Those present included Misses Virginia Dance, Mary Boisseau, Grace Jones, Madge Vass, Gladys Lea, Jaunita Wylie, Garnett Ayres, Araminta Holcombe and Mesdames E. H. Miller, Jr., D. P. Withers and Henry F. Day, Miss Mary Boisseau was hostess at her home on Paxton Street on Saturher Mrs. Robins asked that we then re-

her home on Paxton Street on Saturday morning at a small entertainment for Miss Jones.

Miss Jones.

Miss Anne Royal, of this city will be Miss Jones's maid of honor.

Flournoy—Perry,

A pretty marriage took place in Washington Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, when Miss Gertrude Lee Perry became the bride of Julian E. Flournoy, of this city. The bride was gowned in white crepe de chine, and carried a shower boquet of lillies of the valley. The groom's best man was Alfred Fry. After a short stay in the North, Mr. and Mrs. Flournoy will be at home in Richmond.

Man is glow to make mental adjust-

Man is slow to make mental adjustment and rest from the outworn shackles of tradition. Visions to-day dazzle us like flowers or stars; we do not have to cross seas or climb mountains to see the people who dream, and so it was that Mrs. Robins paid her pribute to women in Richmond who tribute to women in Richmond who have accomplished much—Mrs. Bryan, in the Belle Bryan Day Nursery; Miss Katharine H. Hawes, in the Young Women's Christlan Association; Mrs. B. B. Munford, in the Woman's Club; Miss Mary Greenhow, in the Home for Incurables: Mrs. A. V. Stekes in Incurables; Mrs. A. Y. Stokes, in the Associated Charities; Mrs. Jennings, in the Hetreat for the Siek—all visions grown into realities.

#### To-Morrow's Menu

By MARTHA WESTOVER.

WEDNESDAY. Breakfast.

Orange Juice Cornmeal Mush With Cream Canned Shad Roe and Bacon Bran Bread Toasted Coffee Luncheon.

Sliced Cucumbers Brown Dressing lot Beef Loaf Hot Rolls Stewed Pears Hot Chocolate

Dinner. Cream of Tomato Soup
Baked Ham Fried Parsnips
Mashed Potatoes Peach Fritters
Apple Pie
Coffee Lettuce

Bake enough more of the beef loaf and ham than is needed for these meals, and you will have the basis for your next day's luncheon.

#### The Neglected Home BY LILLIAN RUSSELL.

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The neglected and disordered home with a beautifully and perfectly arrayed housewife in its midst is a striking combination. It suggests a comparison which is not favorable to the haracter of the woman. The appearance of the home and the housewife depends upon the same person. Neglect of the nome and special attention to herself are suggestive of extreme selfishness and an egotism that submerges everything else. It presents the idea of overwhelming self-interest. These are traits to be suppressed, not cultivated.

The well-dressed woman should.

vated.

The well-dressed woman should have background. At least she The well-dressed woman should have a proper background. At least she should select the best within her reach. She does not get this in a disordered home. The appearance of a woman's home is of her choosing. No matter how she may gown herself, if her home is not in order there is a lack of harmony in the combination which is strikingly in evidence to others.

adds to a woman's appearance, regard-less of any personal beauty she may possess, and the care with which she selects her gowns. The housewife in her own home makes a double impres-sion. Her appearance may leave an impression of personal beauty, while

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I. Illian Russell's Answers.

M. B. C.: Olive oil taken every morning half an hour before breakfast is good for removing liver spots and otherwise clearing the complexion. Take a teaspoonful of the best olive oil before breakfast and the same quantity half an hour after the latest meal. You must, however, persist in this treatment to get the desired results. The unsweetened juice of a lemon in a glass of water every morning before breakfast is also beneficial for this purpose. Drink plenty of cool, not iced, water between meals. Proper facial massage daily with a good skin food will help to cradicate wrinkles, I shall send you the formula for skin food with complete instructions for facial massage if you will send me a statuped, addressed, envelope.

A. K.: After cleansing the pores thor-

A. K.: After cleansing the pores thororoughly each night the next step is to close them so that they cannot fill up again. In order to keep the face free from blackheads one must keep the pores free from dirt, for this is what a blackhead really is, a clogged port. Cold water is good for closing the ports, but if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelops I shall send you my treatment for removing blackheads and astringent lotion for closing the pores of the skin. I would advise you to keep up the exercises and each night rub cocoanut oil or a good skin food into the hollows in your neck.

M.: The thin girl must look to her diet the first thing as well as the girl who is stout. Eat properly cooked foods, simple and nourishing. Masticate your food as thoroughly as you can, so you will get the good out of it. Sleep eight or nine hours every night. There is nothing that will make one thin and nervous more quickly than worry. Take your time in doing things, The thin girl is usually the one who hurries with everything, sleeps lightly, and works hard. Eat



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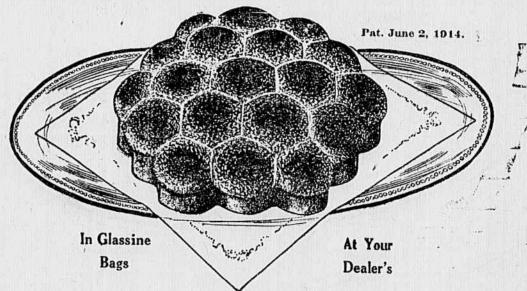
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